Response To Examiner's Reasons For Allowance Application No. 10/554,081

REMARKS

With this paper applicants reply to the Notice of Allowance dated November 17,

2010, prior to the payment of the issue fee. That Notice of Allowance included an

Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

On page 2, in paragraph 1, the Reasons For Allowance reads as follows:

The instant invention is not anticipated by nor render obvious over the prior art references of record. The references considered to be the closest prior art to the current invention are **WENHAO** ZL94113646.9) in view of DOLAN (U.S. 5,985,153). WENHAO teaches a dual cavity magnetized fuel saver with three cylindrical

magnets with a gpa of 0.5 mm and intrinsic coersivity of 18000 -20000 Orested. DOLAN teaches a magnetic field gradient of as high as 200 kGauss/cm. WENHAO in view of DOLAN does not teach the air gap magnetic field intensity and it would not have been obvious to

one of ordinary skill in the art to have ensured that it was at least 800 Gauss.

Applicants respond by respectfully stating that the claims themselves define the scope

of the patent right granted on this application, not the Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

Moreover, this allowed application includes five different allowed claims, each of which

defines a different patentable invention. Each of these claims stands on its own, and its

patentability does not depend upon the reasons supplied in the examiner's statement. With

these comments Applicants intend no disrespect to the examiner, nor to the above-stated

characterization of the claims.

Applicants do not believe that any fees are due in connection with this submission.

However, if any additional fees are deemed necessary to complete this communication, the

Commissioner should consider this to be a request for such fees, and should charge any such

necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,

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